

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Liquing Liu

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Examiner: Stephen Johnson

Art Unit: 3641

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Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

A two-month extension of time is believed to be necessary. The extension is requested and the Commissioner is authorized to charge the extension fee to Carstens & Cahoon, LLP, Deposit Account Number 50-0392. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees required for prosecution of this application, or credit any overpayment to Carstens & Cahoon, LLP, Deposit Account No. 50-0392.

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed April 17, 2007, Applicant offers the following amendments and remarks:

Amendment begins on page 2 of this paper.

Election / Remarks begins on page 6 of this paper.